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Topics of Interest to Every Woman

WHEN WE GROW INDIFFERENT TO THE DIGNITY OF OUR WORK THE WORK ITSELF SUFFERS

It was a woman journalist who made me realize just how much jealous pride a person may have in her profession or in her work, whatever it may be. Early in her career, she said, flushed with success as a society reporter and eager to maintain her dignity and the fair repute of her paper, she was confronted with quite another type. A society reporter, like herself, the new type was a woman all brusqueness and business, unconventional, and without the slightest concession to social graces and social ways. She was abrupt, devoid of tact, and none too particular about her personal appearance.

And the woman journalist felt it almost a personal affront when she brushed against her in the way of work, and caught the reflection of her graceless manner, and unattractive personality. She was jealous of the dignity of her profession, and when she saw a woman making no effort to uphold it and really bringing discredit upon the whole array of reporters, she felt like administering a personal rebuke.

Because it was the class that suffered; that is, so far as the social public took its message, and her ambition was to keep its standard up to the highest point, while the other indifferently dragged it down.

Many suffer for the individual. As we have read all the unavailing details that have unfairly brought a shadow of contempt over the whole police department of New York, some of us have thought of the individual men who have worked for years and years with the single guiding force of duty ever before them.

Their ambition not only to acquit themselves as men and as guardians of the peace, but to appear credit upon the force they represent and back to the city they serve. And in that atmosphere of charges and counter charges, of crime and criminal, these men, honest and conscientious to the core, must sadly enough deplore the black trail of happenings that has thrown its miserable pall over the entire department.

They are, just the same, as ever, loyal and true, but there is a temporary stigma attached to the service which no manner of personal effort and of personal dignity can wipe out—and they must feel it.

One Man Changed Impression. A while ago I was in a big institution officiated by uniformed men, and they looked so trim and dignified that I was about to comment upon their natty appearance. When, alas—! The most careless one of all came along; everything about him was exactly as it should not be, and it appeared counted for anything, he was a disgrace to the place.

And it did count, for not an officer among them who did not resent his latest bearing and apparent indifference to upholding the dignity of the institution. And the more particular they were themselves, the more jealous of their reputation as officers, the more impatient they became of neglect, of poor work, of anything that placed a blot upon the class in which their lot was cast.

DAINTY SHIRT WAIST.



Here is a very dainty shirt waist design and a simple one to carry out. It has a group of tucks at the shoulders at front and the closing is effected at the left side of the front. The neck is finished with a nice turn-down collar and the sleeves may be long or three-quarter length. Linen, pique, madras or lawn may be used, and hand embroidery may be used on the front and bottom of sleeves with charming result.

The pattern, No. 5927, is cut in sizes 22 to 42 inches bust measure. Medium size will require 2 1/2 yards of 36-inch material.

The above pattern can be obtained by sending 10 cents to the Pattern Department of The Washington Herald.

WOMEN ACTIVE IN THE WORLD'S WORK

News Notes of Their Accomplishments Throughout the Land.

Mrs. William K. Vanderbilt has established a home for girls in connection with the Big Sisters' Society of New York, of which she is the founder and leading spirit. The Big Sisters' Society was suggested by the Big Brother movement and aims to do for girls what the latter does for boys and with as little delay as possible. The new home can accommodate ten Little Sisters at a time. There is no time limit and each Little Sister remains until her Big Sister is convinced that she has found herself and a place either in school or in some suitable employment which has been secured for her. Mrs. Vanderbilt keeps a domestic science specialist in the home and the girls receive careful training in orderliness, sanitation, and cooking.

A woman owning and managing a public stenographic business in an Eastern city has developed a new branch. She has provided her clients and her assistants with telephone operators' head bands and receivers, by means of which they take dictation by telephone directly on the typewriter from customers' perhaps miles away. This service is to meet the needs of lawyers, doctors, and business men who have a few letters to write every day and yet not enough to warrant their employing a private stenographer. Letters are either signed, addressed, and mailed direct from the offices or forwarded to the customer for signature and mailing.

Mrs. John Cummins, of Woburn, Mass., is the owner and manager of one of the largest farms in New England. She cultivates 400 acres, disposes of the milk from twenty-six cows, keeps two stalls in the Boston market, and raises 2,000 hogs a year. Next to pig raising Mrs. Cummins finds that market gardening pays best. From May to November she works as hard as any man at the head of a large business, overlooking personally every department of her farm. After November she takes a rest which is usually spent in travel and in seeing how farmers in other parts of the world manage.

Mrs. Annie A. Mailey has been nominated for Governor of Washington State by the Socialist party. She is a teacher and lecturer.

Mrs. Minnie Parks, of Seattle, has been nominated for State treasurer of Washington and is reported to be supported for the office by a number of men and women in the Republican and Democratic parties.

Miss Margaret Kelley, of Portsmouth, N. H., is the first woman to be appointed assistant director of the United States Mint. Immediately after her graduation from the public schools of Boston, Miss Kelley passed a civil service examination by which she received an appointment as stenographer in the Mint at Washington. That was fifteen years ago, and since then she has been successively private secretary to the director, assistant director, and now, as assistant director, at a salary of \$2,000.

Tomato Toast.
Run a pint of stewed ripe tomatoes through a colander, place in a porcelain steamer, season with butter, pepper, salt, and sugar to taste; cut slices of bread thin, brown on both sides, butter and lay on platter; just as breakfast is about to be served add half pint of good sweet cream to the stewed tomatoes, pour them over toast.

Breadcrumb Griddle Cakes.
Two cups bread crumbs, one pint thick, sour milk, one cup flour, one egg, one teaspoonful soda, half teaspoon salt. Soak the crumbs in cold water, drain off the water, stir the crumbs with the flour into the milk; let stand over night, then add the egg, beaten very light, the salt, the soda, dissolved in one teaspoon cold water, and more flour or liquid as required; bake in the usual way.

Dotted Stockings.
The latest novelty in silk hosiery bearing the approval of Paris is stockings embroidered with dots.

PRICES OF BEEF START TO TUMBLE

All Grades and Cuts Are Reduced Two Cents by the Wholesalers.

The high cost of living is not quite so high. Beef prices have taken a tumble, and though their downfall was not as thorough as everybody wishes, the supply was sufficient to let the pocketbook in a very desirable way.

"Wholesalers," said a meat man yesterday, "have reduced the price 2 cents on all grades of beef and cuts. I don't know the reason, but it is about the mean that the retailer should drop his price 3 or 4 cents."

But the retailer hasn't. In the first place, he says, no choice beef is coming into the market from the West. Further, the man who supplies the housewife doesn't boost his price until some time after the wholesalers have jumped it, and the drop is much slower in proportion.

A Washington butcher said that meat from local and Western sources are down.

"Meat is not moving fast these days, and what comes from the West is not of prime quality, as Philadelphia and New York are taking the best of the market," he said.

"If the wholesale price is lower by 2 cents a pound," it was suggested, "why doesn't the retailer drop 3 or 4 cents? That is the way the retail price advances— isn't it?"

"But you must understand that long after the wholesaler jumps his price we retailers continue selling at the old figure. When the price is lowered to suit the drop is also delayed. But there is another side to it—the retailers are stocked so heavily at the high prices that when the drop comes they have to hold on for a while at the higher retail figures."

Frequently, as another retailer explained, the price of beef depends on another factor.

"If a butcher has cuts on his hands and it gets late in the day, he will sacrifice the meat rather than hold it too long. You must remember that beef is perishable. You can't keep it forever."

Several reasons were given for the drop in the price of beef. One is that the East has gone the limit in boycotting second-quality beef and has got the trust of a domestic science. Her argument is that there is really plenty of second-quality cattle in the West, and that they are coming to market freely and will continue to be shipped in increasing numbers as the grazing season advances.

WAGES FIGHT FOR DOMESTIC BUREAU

Miss Emerson Sicksels Favors Establishment of Branch in Department of Agriculture.

Miss Emerson Sicksels, of Washington, and wherever else my health calls me," who has been working for many years for the establishment of a bureau of domestic science by the government, said last night that during the recess of Congress she would conduct an incessant campaign for the enactment of legislation necessary for the cause for which she is fighting.

This legislation comprises a bill by Representative Wilson, of Illinois, providing for the establishment of a bureau of domestic science in the Department of Agriculture, and the bill by Senator Page, of Vermont, providing for vocational education. The Wilson bill would provide a means of gathering information, the Page bill a way of disseminating information about domestic science, Miss Sicksels said.

Miss Sicksels succeeded in having introduced in Congress in 1907 a bill to create a private bureau of domestic science. Her argument then and now, she stated, is that if women were equipped properly for their work, they would not overwork the field of man's endeavors.

In 1909 the secretary of the National Domestic Science Association, Miss Sicksels originated the idea of a training school for army cooks and bakers, now an essential part of the army.

MASTER PLUMBERS ORGANIZE.
Officers Elected at Well-attended Meeting of Employers.

A well-attended meeting of registered plumbers was held last evening in the Woodward Building. An organization, to be known as the Master Plumbers' Protective Association of the District, was formed, with the following officers: John J. Daly, president; Joseph Whelan, vice president; J. Freund, treasurer; J. Carl Darnall, secretary; H. R. Eberly, sergeant-at-arms. Board of directors: Joseph Whelan, J. J. Eberly, J. T. O'Brien, M. Balfour, and M. J. Colbert. Committees were named to draw up by-laws and otherwise perfect the organization.

Buried in Arlington.
Funeral services for Lieut. Arthur H. Fletcher, U. S. N., who died Wednesday at the age of sixty-eight years at his home, 291 Mills Avenue Northwest, were held yesterday afternoon. Interment was in Arlington National Cemetery. Lieut. Fletcher is survived by his wife, Mrs. Julia Wadsworth Fletcher, and two sons, Robert and Arthur W. Fletcher.

To Command Arkansas.
Capt. Roy C. Smith, U. S. N., was assigned by the Secretary of the Navy yesterday to command the new Dreadnought Arkansas, which will shortly be placed in commission. Capt. Smith, who framed the naval personnel bill, has been on shore duty for several years.

Lawn Fete Again To-night.
Announcement was made last night that the Catholic Sunday school lawn fete at Congress Heights would be continued this evening.

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Oysters, which put the R in several of our most popular months, are within a week of our fair city. Two of three of them, under the alias of succulent bivalves, are reported to have already arrived as marliners of the regular "open" season, which starts September 1.

It will be a great season, according to the prediction of our oldest inhabitants. The oysters are fat, the water propitious for keeping them so, and the supply is plentiful. Dealers said yesterday they had no reason to believe the recent warm weather would have a detrimental effect. A bright future is in store for the trade, it is believed.

The value of the oyster trade in the vicinity of Washington is tremendous. It comprises capital invested in thousands of boats for freighting oysters from the beds to market, and tonging and dredging, and the labor of thousands of men engaged in the trade. In addition there are many shucking and packing houses.

CLOSE ARMY SCHOOLS.
Appropriation Bill Makes No Provision for Many Old Institutions.

Indignation of the army authorities was aroused yesterday by the discovery of changes in the army appropriation bill as agreed to, which, they claim, will result in closing down practically all of the army schools, including the service school at Fort Riley and Fort Leavenworth, and the Coast Artillery School at Fort Monroe. The general staff and the Army War College will be greatly crippled. The bill, as it now stands, will deprive of pay all officers below the grade of major, all officers who have not been actually on duty with companies, batteries, or troops for two out of the past six years.

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Sale of "Justine" Waists at 69c and 98c.

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Pure Thread Silk Stockings, in black and tan, with high spliced heel, double sole, and lisle garter top. A special purchase gave us this lot to sell at close to half customary cost, and to-day we share our good fortune with you.

Children's Fine Ribbed Stockings, in fast black and tan; good, elastic quality. Sold regularly at 15c pair. Special to-day at..... 10c

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ROBESPIERRE COLLARS, of P. K. with shadow lace jabots; trim in black, satin or crystal buttons. At..... 50c
PLEATINGS of plain net or shadow lace; widths 1 to 2 in., and offered at, a yard..... 25c

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